

Assignment 2

Queuing System Simulation

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System Assumptions

System Type - Closed system

Each User Issues a Fixed number of Requests

Number of cores - 4

Number of Maximum Threads per core - 4

Request Buffer Size - 100

Constants User inputs and Enums

Constants-

- Max_buffer_Size
- Max_thread_count
- Conext_switch_time
- Max_Request_Generated

Users Inputs -

- Mean_interarrival,
- Mean_service
- Number_of_users

Scheduling Policy (*Enum*)

- FCFS (1)
- Round Robin (2)

Server Status (*Enum*)

- Idle (1)
- Busy (2)

Event Types (*Enum*)

- Arrival (1)
- Departure (2)
- Context_Switch_In (3)

Distribution Type (*Enum*)

- Exponential (1)
- Uniform (2)
- Constant (3)

Classes

Service_time

- *Attributes:*
 - `typeOfDistribution(Enum Distribution type)`
- *Methods:*
 - `getServiceTime() /*Generation function{describes the distribution}*/`

Timeout

- *Attributes:*
 - `constantTime (double)`
 - `typeOfDistribution(Enum Distribution type)`
- *Methods:*
 - `getTimeoutTime() /*Generation function{describes the distribution}*/`

Classes

Event

- Attributes:
 - arrival_time (double)
 - timeout(double)
 - serviceTime
 - core (int)
 - thread(int)
 - response_count
- Methods:
 - getRandomThinkTime()/*random value chosen in range [4,10]*/
 - getRemainingServiceTime()

Classes

Core

- *Attributes:*
 - threads [Max Thread Count] (Event Object List)
 - status (int) {Server Status}
 - thread_busy_count (int)
- *Methods:*
 - GetCoreStatus()
 - setCoreStatus()
 - addToThread()
 - removeFromThread()
 - getBusyThreadCount()
 - setBusyThreadCount()

Classes

Scheduler

- *Attributes:*
 - Type (int) {Scheduling policy}
 - Context_switch_time (double)
- *Methods:*
 - switching the threads ()

Server

- *Attributes:*
 - Core Object [4];
 - service_time Object;
 - Scheduler Object;
 - {Waiting Buffer} Event Obj queue [Max buffer size] (shared among all cores)
- *Methods:*
 - getNextEventFromBuffer()
 - getServerStatus()
 - setServerStatus()
 - getCoreObj()

Classes

Event Handler

- *Attributes:*
 - Server Obj
 - timing_next_event[Max_event_count] (a priority queue of tuples <event_time, event obj> prioritized on event_time)
 - Timeout Obj
- *Methods:*
 - getNextEvent()
 - manageEvent()
 - Arrive()
 - Depart()
 - getServerObj()
 - setEvent()

Base Logic (FCFS)

Main Function ()

```
{
    read_input() // take user input
    Initialize() //Initialize the simulation

    Event_handler_Obj = new Event_Handler();

    While (No requests < max Request count){
        Event_handler_obj.Next event();
        Event_handler_obj.manageEvent();
    }
}
```

Base Logic (FCFS)

Function Arrival(Event X)

```
{  
    if(no of user < max user){  
        Create new EVENT obj and assign arrival time  
    }  
    if(server busy){  
        Put Event X in Event queue;  
    }  
    Else{  
        Set the departure time of the event X.  
    }  
}
```

Base Logic (FCFS)

Function Departure (Event X)

```
{
    if(Event queue empty){
        Set status idle of the core belonging to the
        event X that called up the departure
    }
    Else{
        Remove event A from the waiting buffer
        Set the departure time of the event A.
    }
    If Event X -> departure time < Event X -> timeout{
        Event X -> Response_count++;
    }
    /*Get the Event Object Ready of next Request*/
    Set think-time of event X randomly
    Set the arrival time of event X based on the think-time
}
```

Base Logic (Round Robin)

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Base Logic (Round Robin)

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{
    if(no of user < max user){
        Create new EVENT obj and assign arrival time
    }
    if(server busy){
        Put Event X in Event queue;
    }
    Else{
        If Scheduler.timeQuantum > event X.remainingServiceTime()
            Set contextinTime for Event X.
        else
            Set departureTime for Event X.
    }
}
```

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Code Highlights

Server Log Output

```
Trace.txt
1333 | 88.3154   [A A A I ] EMPTY   Cntx Swtch In   88.4154
1334 | =====
1335 | 88.4154   [A A A I ] EMPTY   Departure       88.4806
1336 | =====
1337 | 88.4806   [A I A I ] EMPTY   Arrival         88.7719
1338 | =====
1339 | 88.7719   [A A A I ] EMPTY   Departure       88.787
1340 | =====
1341 | 88.787    [I A A I ] EMPTY   Cntx Swtch In   88.8719
1342 | =====
1343 | 88.8719   [I A A I ] EMPTY   Cntx Swtch Out  89.3719
1344 | =====
1345 | 89.3719   [I A A I ] EMPTY   Cntx Swtch In   89.4719
1346 | =====
1347 | 89.4719   [I A A I ] EMPTY   Departure       89.7606
1348 | =====
1349 | 89.7606   [I A I I ] EMPTY   Cntx Swtch Out  89.9719
1350 | =====
1351 | 89.9719   [I A I I ] EMPTY   Cntx Swtch In   90.0719
1352 | =====
1353 | 90.0719   [I A I I ] EMPTY   Departure       90.953
1354 | =====
1355 | 90.953    [I I I I ] EMPTY   Arrival         91.2877
1356 | =====
1357 | 91.2877   [A I I I ] EMPTY   Cntx Swtch In   91.3877
1358 | =====
1359 | 91.3877   [A I I I ] EMPTY   Arrival         91.4158
1360 | =====
1361 | 91.4158   [A A I I ] EMPTY   Cntx Swtch In   91.5158
1362 | =====
```

EventHandler's ManageEvent

```
void EventHandler::manageEvent(Event event){
    switch (event.type)
    {
        case ARRIVAL:
            this->arrive(event);
            break;

        case DEPARTURE:
            this->depart(event);
            break;

        case CONTEXTSWITCHIN:
            contextSwitchIn(event);
            break;

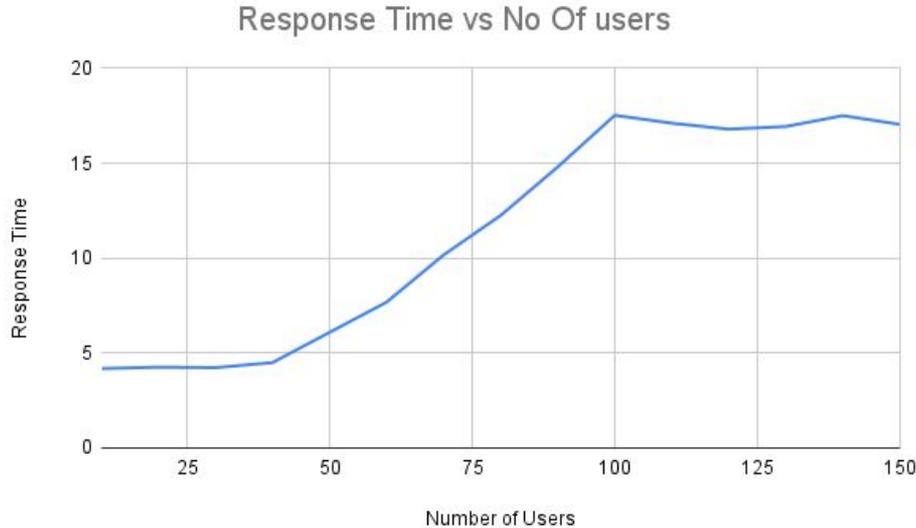
        case CONTEXTSWITCHOUT:
            contextSwitchOut(event);
            break;

        default:
            break;
    }
}
```

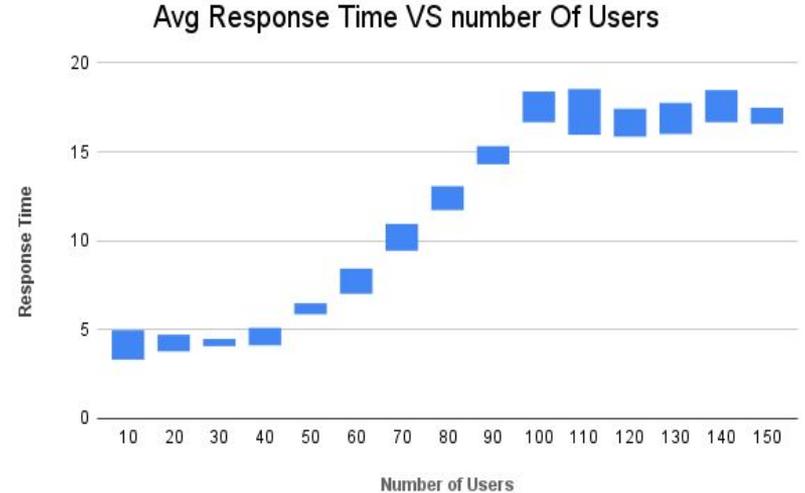
Results

- What will be the Average Response Time of the described system?
- To find out the average response time, we ran the simulation for 5 times with randomly chosen Service Times, Timeouts and Think Time for particular number of users. In every run we calculated the mean response time and finally taken the average of these 5 means.
- The same experiment was repeated for variable number of users and the average of 5 runs for every user is plotted as confidence interval in the graph shown.

Response Time Vs Users



Line Plot Shows Response time getting saturated after MAX user reaches 100.



Confidence Plot shows increase of variation in response time as the Number of User increases.

Results

- What will be the Throughput of the described system?
- To calculate find throughput, we first of all counted the number of requests timed out and then completed in retries and number of requests completed without any retries. From these two values, we calculated

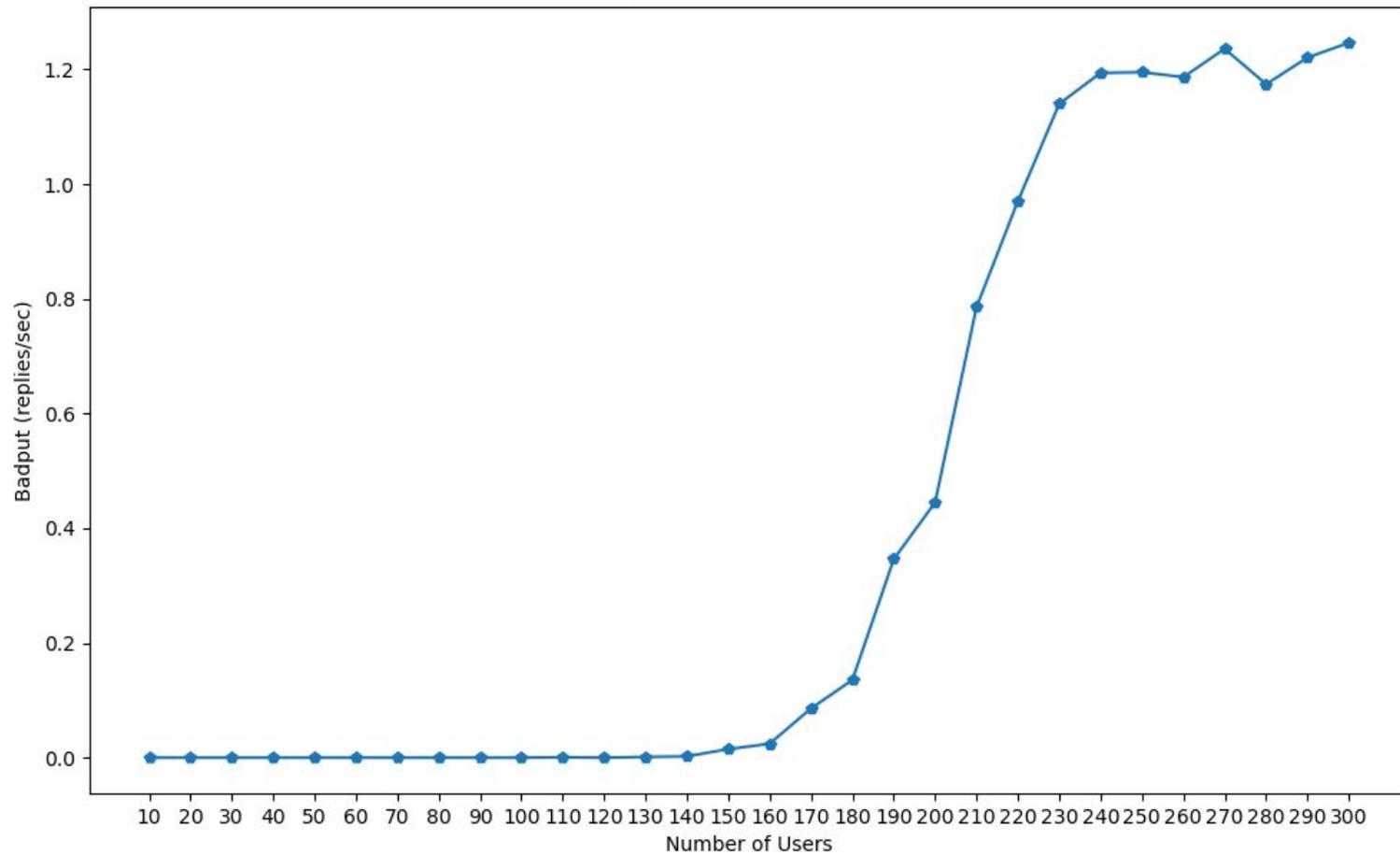
Badput = number of requests timed out/total simulation time

Goodput = number of requests without timeouts/total simulation time

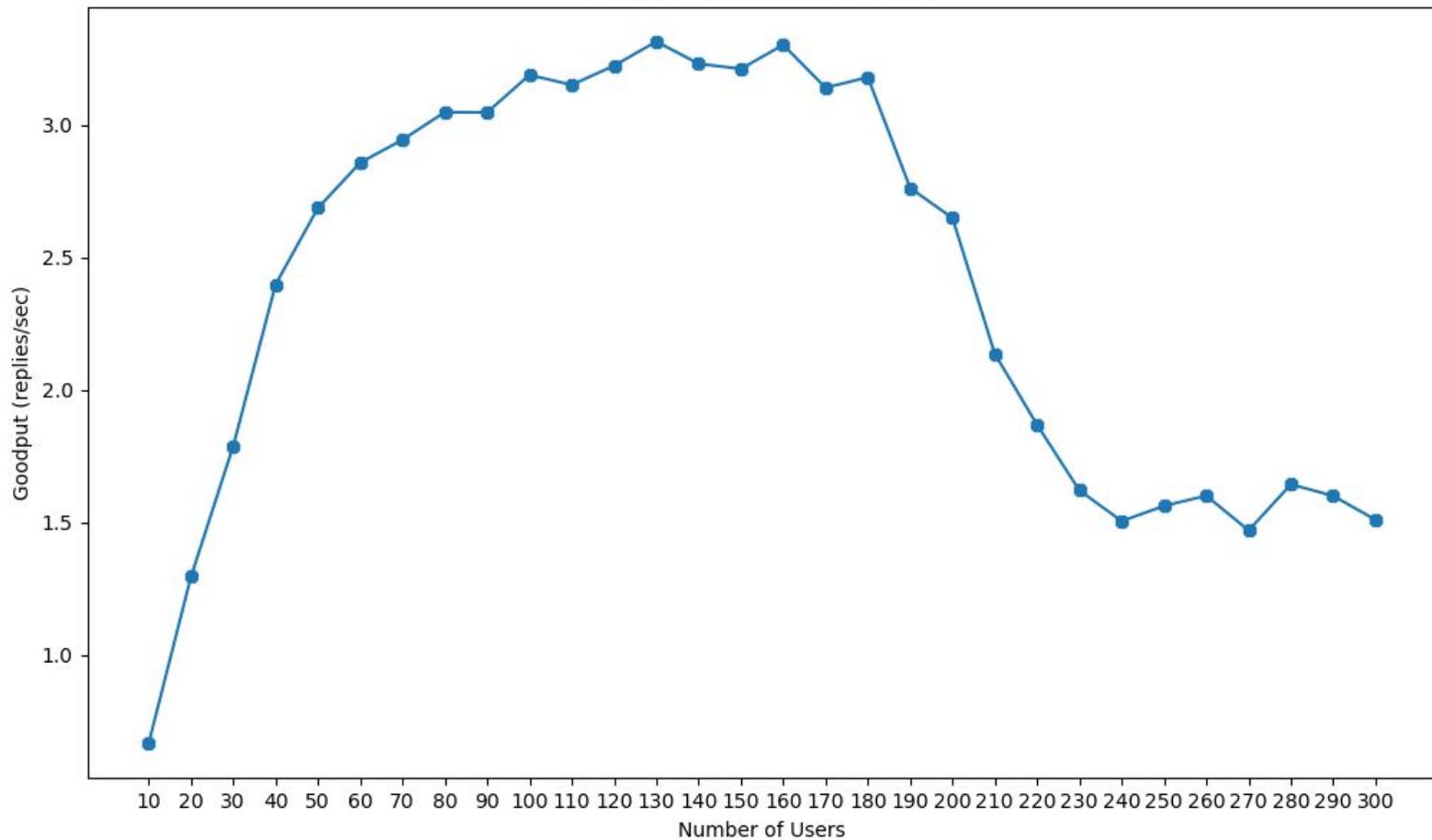
Throughput = Goodput + Badput

The corresponding graphs are shown below

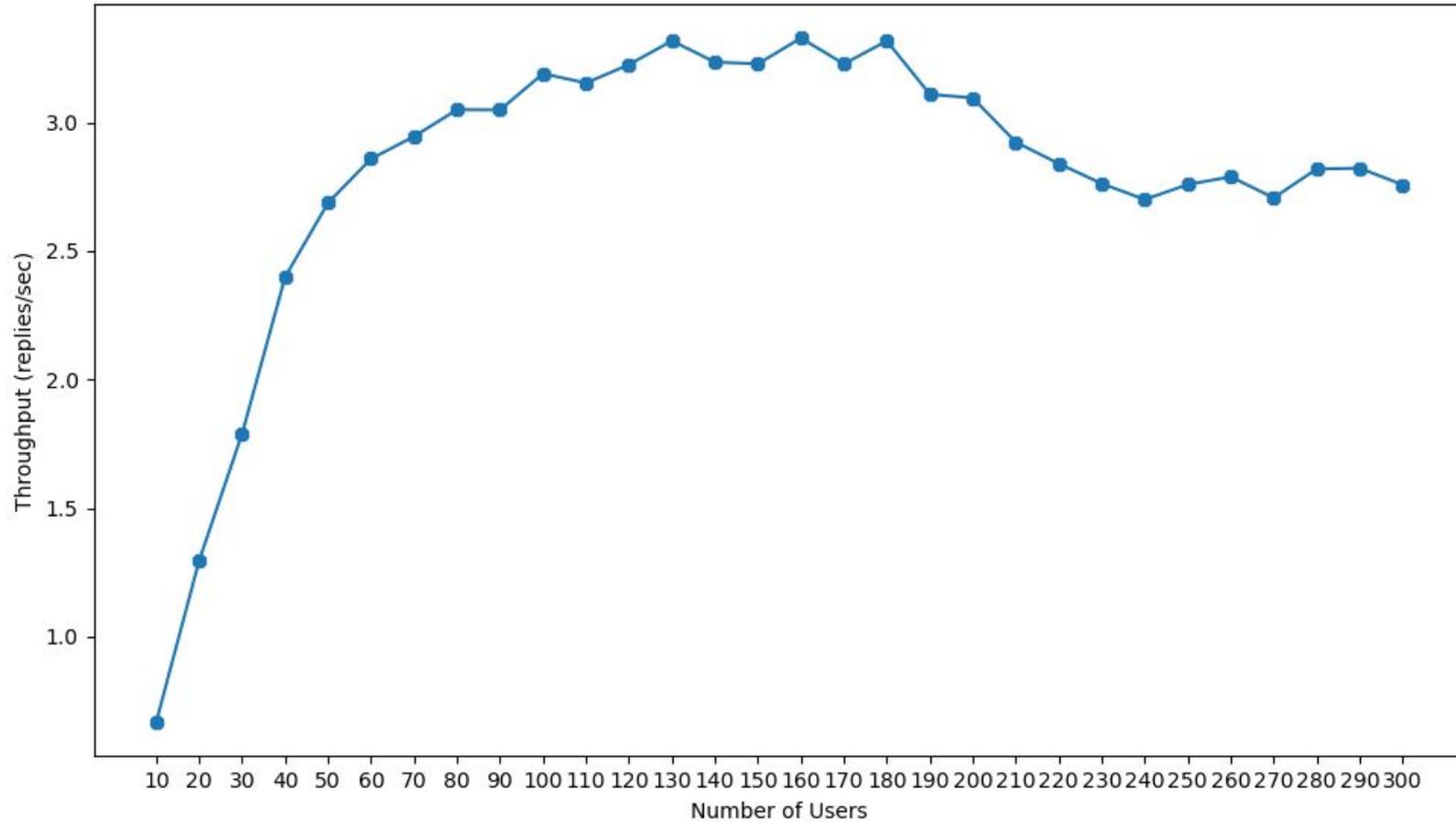
Badput vs Number of Users



Goodput vs Number of Users



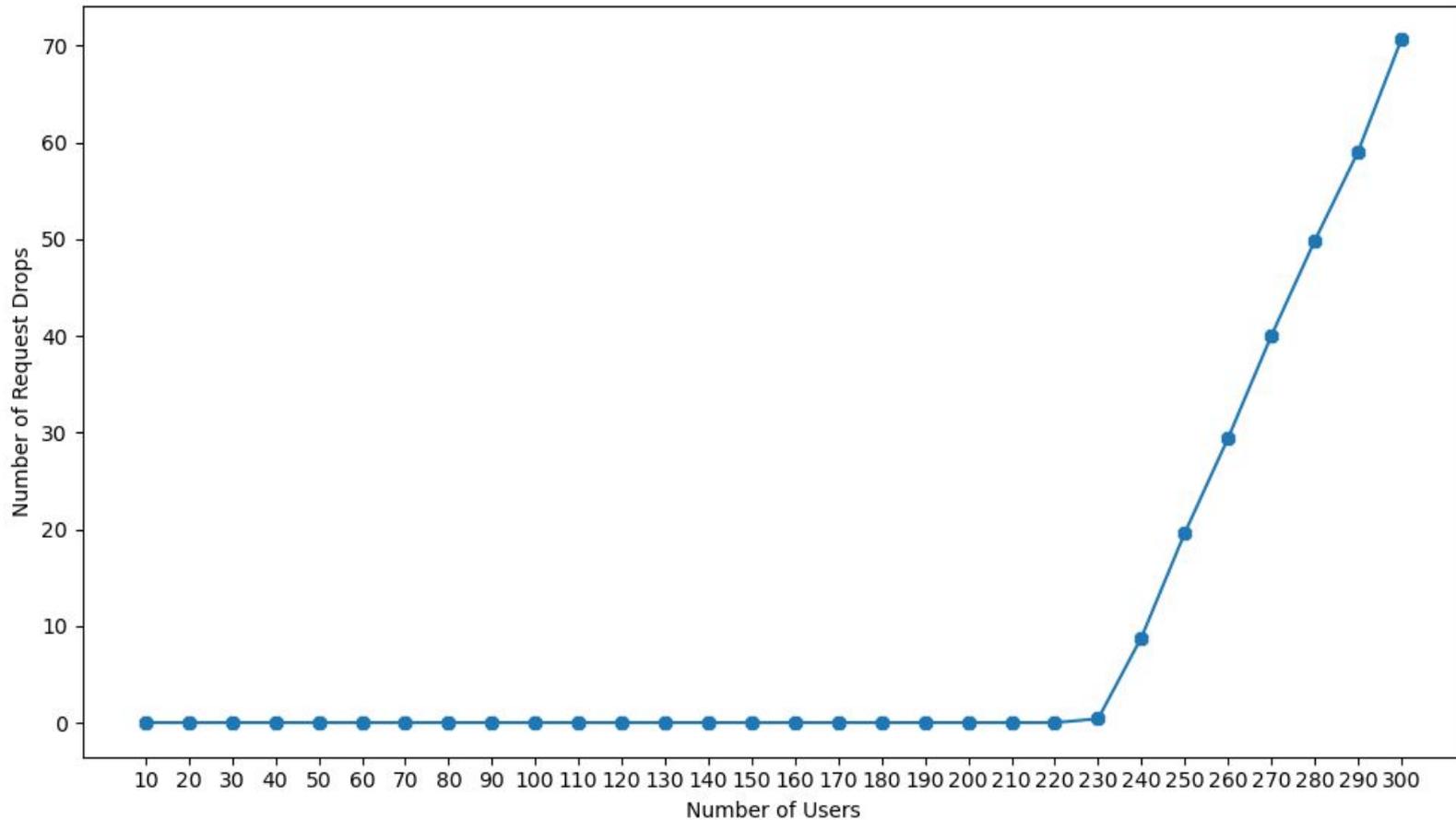
Throughput vs Number of Users



Results

- What will be the Average Number of Request Drops of the described system?
- We counted the number of requests which got dropped due to lack of space in request buffer and plotted the graph of number of requests dropped against number of users. The graph is shown below.

Number of Requests Dropped vs Number of Users



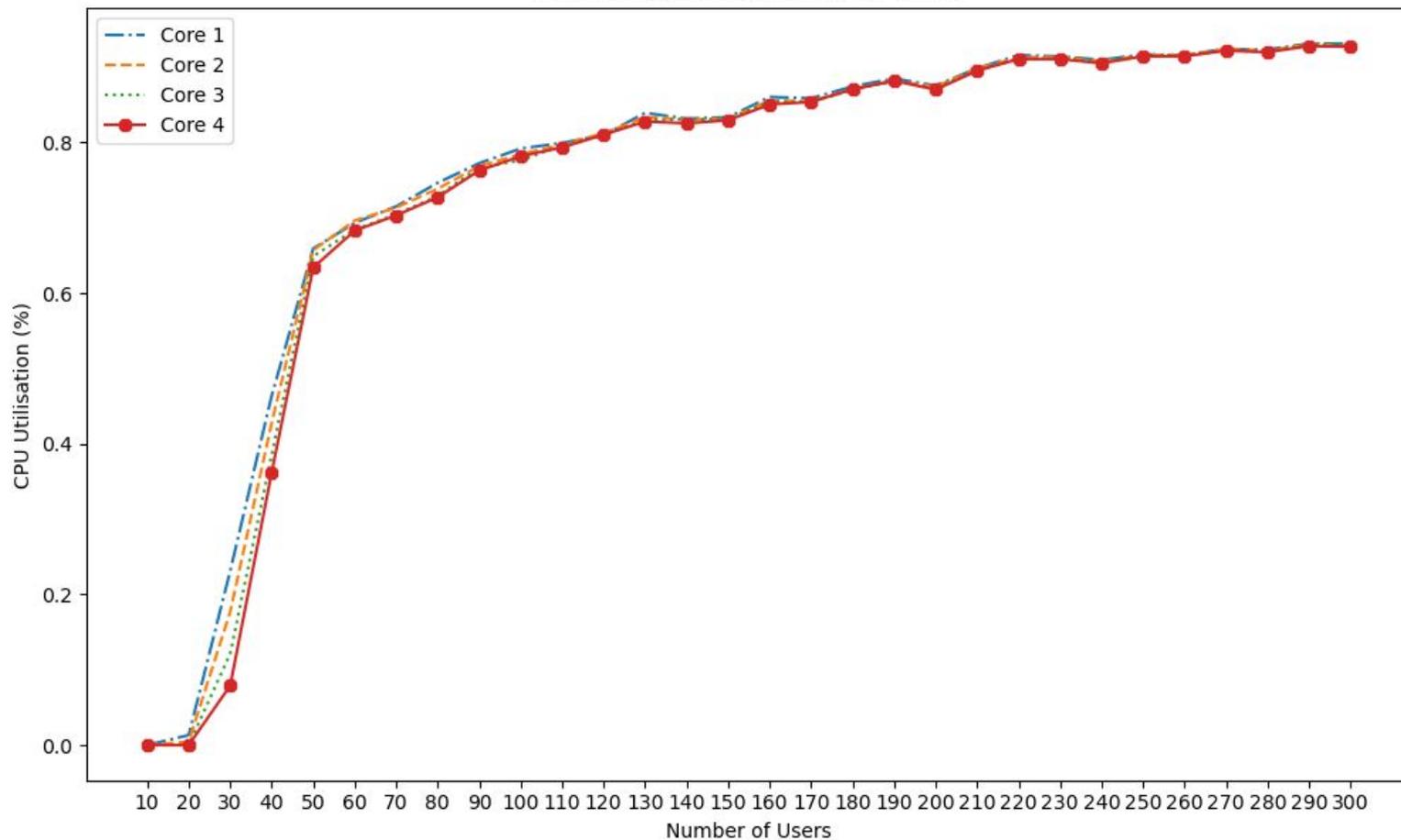
Results

- What will be the Average Core Utilisation of the described system?
- For finding core utilization, we calculated the number of threads active at every time step on each core and divided it by max number of threads on that core. This gave us the utilization in that time span. To find Average utilisation for each core we used following formula

Avg Core Utilization = difference between events * (Number of threads / Max number of threads)

We calculated utilisation for each core and plotted it against number of users.

Core Utilization vs Number of Users



Conclusion

We successfully implemented simulation program for closed queuing system.

We ran some experiments to check and verify following metrics

- Average Response Time
- Throughput
- Average Request Dropped
- Average Core Utilization

The experimental values we got are nearer to the theoretical calculations.